

2013 Number of Candidates Taking NCLEX Examination and Percent Passing, by Type of Candidate

RN	Jan-Mar 2013		Apr-Jun 2013 ³		Jul-Sep 2013		Oct-Dec 2013		Year to Date Total	
Type of Candidate	#1	% ²	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%
First Time, US Educated										
Diploma	741	89.74%	478	80.13%					1,219	85.97%
Baccalaureate Degree	16,565	91.75%	20,248	85.82%					36,813	88.49%
Associate Degree	23,630	89.44%	27,081	80.95%					50,711	84.91%
Invalid or Special Program Codes	43	60.47%	10	60.00%					53	60.38%
Total First Time, US Educated	40,979	90.35%	47,817	83.00%					88,796	86.39%
Repeat, US Educated	5,232	48.59%	5,816	29.92%					11,048	38.76%
First Time, Internationally Educated	1,930	35.23%	1,915	29.66%					3,845	32.46%
Repeat, Internationally Educated	2,950	19.29%	3,008	12.17%					5,958	15.70%
All Candidates	51,091	79.89%	58,557	72.34%					109,648	75.86%

PN	Jan-Mar 2013 ⁴		Apr-Jun 2013		Jul-Sep 2013		Oct-Dec 2013		Year to Date Total	
Type of Candidate	#	%	#	%					#	%
First Time, US Educated	13,650	84.15%	12,208	83.18%					25,858	83.69%
Repeat, US Educated	3,514	36.80%	3,953	34.68%					7,467	35.68%
First Time, Internationally Educated	208	52.40%	252	46.43%					460	49.13%
Repeat, Internationally Educated	193	15.54%	199	15.08%					392	15.31%
All Candidates	17,565	73.55%	16,612	70.27%					34,177	71.96%



 $^{^{\}rm 1}$ The # symbol denotes the number of candidates who took the exam.

² The % symbol denotes the named of candidates that passed the exam.

³ The RN Passing Standard was changed 0.00 logits as of April 1, 2013.

⁴ The PN Passing Standard was -0.27 logits.